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Out Glass Bottles, Toilet SOAP, VIOLET and PARAMATIAS making machines, sometimes rendering them counts in the let month of the present year, POWDER, POMATUM, COSMETIQUE. "ZAMBOANGA." useless, cannot be denied; but those muchines SEDAN CORDS. PUSTAU & Co. TO LET. bis Congression with the business hitherto Arechavala, Master, will leave astabore TO-BLACK and BLUE BROADCLOTHS. are materially different to our own, the prin-EHP in diamond, 6 Cases BORT WINE. THAIRLEA, WEST POINT, now in the ooc May 11, Cyctor, German gunboat, 300, Von onrried on under the WANG KI Firm in For-MORROW, the 13th instant, at Noon, ciple of which is so simple, and the construction EHP in diamond, 5 Cases OLARBT. pution of GRANVILLE SHARP, Eleq. It is DOESKINS, and TROUSERINGS Reiche, from a cruise. mosa, CEASED, and that he will not hold For Freight or Passage apply to an excellent, so to permit its being worked with admirably adapted for a large fundly or mesa, high ha is making up at vory low prices. 100 Purated Barrel Cavalry CARBINES himself responsible for any debt or transaction that may be entered into since his retirement. May 11, MINNA, German bark, REMEDIOS & Co almost absolute certainty. No accident could 45 AND 47. QUEEN'S ROAD. and might be occupied in flats either furnished 10 REVOLVERS. Thuren, Keelung 6th May, Coas. - WM. 681 - Hongkong, 12th May, 1876 occur which could not be remedied in the Coor unfurnished. Garden Ground surrounding do., do., do. YUNG WAI SHAN. TERMS OF SALE.-Cash before delivery in lony, and long before the strok of ice always PUSTAU & Co. it on all side. Gus. Water, Stabling, Tennia 588 Amoy 24th April: 1876. kept on band would be exhausted. But the Merioan Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. 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May 11, Nona, British str., 606, Walker, 1m 505 Swatow, 11th April 1876. As a further reason for supporting the portation of ree, it is said that our machinery NOTIOE. Swatow 10th May, Gandral.-Kwok could not supply the needs of the Colony, Captain Nomdeden, will leave this Port for SHARP, TOLLER, AND JOHNSON А R. Виксьоовноте John Маномир. TO MORLOW. Speaking from a knowledge of the local de- MARSEILLES " & SINGAPORE, &c. on being about to leave for Bombay, Mr. tf 598 Hongkong, 2nd May, 1876, the 13th day of May, 1876, at the Victoria Ex-s mand, and as experienced, practical engineers, SUNDAY, the 14th inst. at 11 A.M. TUDOR COMPANY. MEHRALLYPHOY MAHOMED is sutherized to May 11. Papa. German bark, 750, C. W change, Queen's Road, commencing at 2 P.M.,we have no hesitation in stating that the Apro-G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Pansch, Liverpool 6th January, Coals .-SIGN my Firm from this date. IN and after this date, the retail price of ductive capacity of our machinery is much A quantity of THE GODOWN, SIEMSSEN & Co. JAIRAZBHOY PEERBHOY. SURPLUS STOOK NO. I. STANLEY STREET. greater than is required to provide for the preour NATURAL ICE will be ONE CENT 580 Hongkong, 12th May, 1874, May 11, Zamboanga, Spanish str., 671, Are-7d 634 Hongkong, 8th May, 1876. from their Furnishing Warehouse, comprising: per Pound, instead of ONE AND A HALF GENTS, sent total consumption. We will prove this to E. LILLEY. chavella, Amor 9th May, General,-MIRRORS and Toilet GLASSES. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOODHO as lately advertised per Express. We have any one disposed to investigate the sulfiest. tf 647 Hongkong, 9th May, 1876... Whole Pieces and Remnants of BRUS just landed, ex Ship Comet, an excellent Stock | What, however, we most desire to contradict | THE Steamship REMEDIOS & Co. THE Undersigned has been appointed TO BE LET. 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HURGAN, Agent. sincerity and of the genuineness of our inten-TURNER & Co., NOTICE. Laco OURTAINS and Mosquito NET. 678 Hongkong, 12th May, 1876. tions, we offer to bind ourselves, to the satis-Venice, str., for Woosung. THE Undersigned begs most respectfully to Tudor Ice House, Hongkong, 41. Oneen's Road. DAMASKS (Green and Crimson.) fuction of a Committee of Gentlemen to be Asia, sir., for Singapore. 4th May, 1876. FOR LONDON. tf 283 Hongkong, 1st March, 1876. notify the Poblic in general that he has selected by the Public, that, under no circum-Iron BEDSTEADS. THE Al British Clipper Bark Asia, str., for Saigon. Established himself as. COIDENTAL HOTEL TO LET. QUILTS and COUNTERPANES. shances, should the price of our ide exceed three HOUSE and SHIP PLUMBER, MONTGOMERY ST., SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. With Immediate Possession. House LINEN, do. "BRITISH OR WN. COPPERSMITH, BRASSFOUNDER Having become associated in the management Departures. THE DWELLING HOUSE No. 4. 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The HOUSE at the west and of "The Al-FIVE SUGAR MILLS, with Accessories Per Asia, str., for Suigon :drawn against same for One Hall the Amount No. 43. Prays. Honokong. bany," recently in the occupation of the Hon. complete, Sheet iron Troughs, Copper Beilers, 648 Hougkong, 9th May, 1876. Fridays, at 9 A.M. 20 Ohinese. NOTE .- By the Company's Articles of Asso-S. BENJAMIN & Co., Vacuum Pant, Five Turbines with Independent C. C. SMITH. P. A. DA COSTA, Wholesale Grocers, By order, piation it is provided that, after payment to the HOUSES on Upper Mosque Terrace. Engines, Concretore, do., &c., &c. Wine, Spirit, and General Morohante, Shareholders of a dividend of 10 per cent. per Reports. Notices to Consigners. All with Gas and Water laid on. MACHINES for ADJUSTING-and-FIT-645 Hongkong, 9th May, 1876. annum, one-fourth of the residue of profits will COOKTOWN. TING, TURNING LATHE, BORING MA-The Russiam steamship Tolihatohoff reports A First-class GODOWN at Wanchi of about RIENTAL HOTEL, left London on 17th March, and Singapore on be rateably divided amongst tuose Insurers out NOTIOE. CHINE, &co., &co., &co., &co. STEAMSHIP GALATEA, FROM HAMof whose business profits have been made during WELLINGTON STREET, HONGEONG. 5th May. In the China Sea had buffling winds 5,000 tons capacity. ONE GAS MACHINE. BURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM T. G. LINSTEAD. STOCKHAUSEN AND ROSE, and online and a very high sea from the North. the year. ONE STEAM-CRANE. Apply to NAVIGATION COMPANY. 1464 Hongkong, 12th January, 1876, SPARE MATERIALS, IRON and COP PROPRIETORS. CONSIGNEES of Goods by the above PHOENIX FIRE INSUBANCE COMPANY The British steamship Norna reports left Swatow at 5 p.m. op 10th May, and had light PER PIPES of various dimensions, &c., &c. TIPPIN at ONE. DINNER at SEVEN. TO LET. HE HINDOSTAN, leaving here with to Wines, Spirits, &co., of the Best Quality only. Gargo is being landed and stored at their risk ONE TUG BUAT, 50 H.P., 70 Come, in good JOUSE NO. S. WEST TERBACE; Wate L'ROM this date, until further notice, a dis-Mails of the 20th May, and subsequent English, French, and German Spoken. H.N.E. winds and thick atmosphere to port. current local rates of premia will be allowed BILLIARD ROOMS—BOWLING ALLEYS. into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence laid on, Mail Steamers, UNTIL PURTHER NOTICE, will Leaving the steamers Flintshire, Olympia, Ra-T. ALGAR, ONE STEAM LAUNCH. delivery may be obtained. proceed direct to SOUTHAMPTON. Apply to jah, and Swatow in Swatow. FIFTEEN LARGE NATIVE CARGO FRENCH QLASS for YOUNG 9. Hollywood Road. upon insurances effected with this Company. Goods remaining in store after the 18th in-.A. MolVER. ti 607 Hongkong, 3rd May, 1876. A GENTLEMEN, on Tuesdays, Thursdays, BOATS, in good order. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. stant will be subject to rent. Superintendent. The LAND and BUILDINGS of the ES-The German bark Minna reports left Keelung and Saturdays, from 8,30 to 9,30 r.M.; also an Optional Curgo will be forwarded on, unless 649 Hongkong, 9th May, 1876 on 6th May, and experienced on the night of TATE, situited on the River. ENGLISH CLASS on Mondays, Wednesdays TONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING applied for by the Consignees before 4 P.M. tf 1192 Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. the 9th to the 10th of May, in lat. 22.35 N. and ESTATE of LACAN. BIEN-HOA and Fridays, at the same hour. Private Les-FO DAY, the 11th inst. NOTICE. CORPORATION. TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE THE OFFICE and WINE BUSINESS of long, 116.50 East, a heavy typhoon; lost bul-PROVINCE, comprising an area of about 300 Bills of Liading will be countersigned by PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... 5,000,000 of Dollars. ions given, 1 the Undersigned has been REMOVED warks, boats, and water casks, and other mov-COMPANY OF HAMBURG. HECTARS, mostly oultivoted. SIEMSSEN & Co... RESERVE FUND ...... 100,000 of Dollars. J. M. HANLON, to the Corner of Wyndbam Street and Queen's Victoria Boys' School, able things from the ship's deck. Agents. THE BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE Road, adjoining the Bank Buildings, opposite THE undereigned having been appointed 5. Hollywood Road. 7d\_676 Hongkong, 11th May, 1876. Court of Directors :-6m 8347 The German steamship Galatea reports left Agents for the above Company, are pre-SAIGON. the Hongkong Club. Chairman-E. R. BELILIOS, Esq. THRAIMDASS DAYOOMULL pared to accept risks against Fire at current RUSSIAN STEAMSHIP TCHIHATCHOFF. 1m 564 25th April, 1876. Hamburg on 25th March; arrived at Port Said ED. CHASTEL. Deputy Chairman-AD. ANDER, Esq. · Sindh, Cashmere, Delhie, Bombay, raics, subject to a bonus of 20 per cent. 1m 558 Hongkopg, 26th April, 1876, -Saronoff, Muster, FROM LONDON on 9th April; left Suez on the 11th; arrived at. S. W. Pomeroy, Req. FOR SALE F. Cordes, Esq. Rampoor, Madras, and Sorat SIEMSSEN & Co.. vid SINGAPORE. Penang on the 29th, and left again on the 80th; H. Hoppius, Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq. arrived at Singapore on 2nd May, and left again on the 5th. In the Mediterranean Sea experi-NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. MERCHANT AND GENERAL DEALER CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above THE UNDERMENTIONED LAND and tf 39 Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. Has for Sale, Shawis, Sandalwood Boxes, Gold P. & O. S., N. COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP U Steamer are hereby informed that their BUILDINGS. enoed very beavy gales and a very boavy aco, LOMBARDY. Hongkong-James Greig, Esq., and Silver Articles, and different Funcy Works. Goods are being landed and stored at their risk add up the China See had moderate winds and AT HONGKONG :-No. 17, QUEEN'S ROAD, in the Godowns of the Undersigned, from CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Shanghal-Ewen Cameron, Eag. THE Undersigned is prepared to Gran fine weather. INLAND LOT 82.-The well-known House Next to the " Hongkong Hotel," Hongkong. vessel from Bombay and Intermediate whence delivery may be obtained. London Bankers-London and County Bank. and offices lately occupied by Messrs. A. HEAED Patroles against Fire to the extent of Consignees wishing to take their Goods from Ports, and in connection with the Khiva and 6m, 4/8 ilth April, 1876. The British steamship Ningpo reports left & Co., adjoining the Oathedral Compound. \$45,000 on First-class Bicks. Malwa, from London, and Poonah, from Osl- the boats alongside the wharf are at liberty to Shanghai on 6th May, and bad light winds and HONGKONG. The Ground below the musonry retaining . A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upor O. ROGERS, DENTAL SURGEON outta, are horeby notified that their Goods are do so, cloudy wenther to the White Dogs. On the wall of the above abutting on the Queen's the Current Local Rates of Premia will be al-INTEREST ALLOWED. being landed and stored at their Risk in the Copds remaining in store after the 18 No. 7, ARBUTHNOT ROAD, 9th the wind freshened up from the N.E., in-On Ourrent Deposit Accounts at the rate of Boad. lowed upon Insurances effected with this Office. Company's Godowne at West Point, whence instant will be subject to rent. creasing to a gale with thick, rainy weather Has returned, and is ready to receive Patients. per cent, por annum on the daily balance. T. G. LINSTEAD, Annual Crown Bent, 2390.48. with a very high confused sea, the wind veered Optional Cargo will be forwarded, unless delivery can be obtained from this date. On Fired Denosits:-Agent, Sun Fire Office. 227 Hongkong, J2th March, 1876. MARINE LOT 111, WANGHAL-First-class notice to the contrary is given until Three Goods not delivered by the loth lastant will to N. and N.W. and continued increasing till a 1835 Hongbong, 26th August, 1874. For 3 months' 2 per cent per annum and extensive Godowns. olook THIS AFTERNOON. fair typhoon set in, with terrific guets, and the be subject to Bent. CL. THEVENIN, Annual Crown Rent, \$324. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by sea running very high; this weather lasted till THE LONDON ASSURANCE " A. MCIVER, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT WM. PUSTAU & Co., the morning of the 10th; when it moderated, АТ ҮОКОНАМА:-Superintendent. PLOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. AGENT for DE ST. MARGEAUX ET CIE'S 635, Hongkong, 6th May, 1876. since then moderate weather to arrival. Credits-granted on approved Securities, and Lors No. 6 and No. 27 in the Foreign INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER. 677 Hongkong, 11th May, 1876. every description of Banking and Exchange CHAMPAGNESA BRITISH SHIP BELTED WILL FROM Settlement. The German bark Papa reports left Liverpool HIS MAJESTYKINGGEOEGETHE PIRST. Depot for Viehy Waters, THE STEAMSHIP ARRATOON APCAR. mainess transacted. LONDON. No. 6 is situated on the Bund, and comprises on the 6th January. Had favourable winds till ED. PINAUD ET CIE'S PERFUMERY. Drafts-granted on London, and the chief A.D. 1720. FROM CALCULTA, PENANG, AND an Eight-roomed Dwelling House, detucted, the 4th May, when had strong winds from the N. ANTOINE ET PILE INKE, &o., do., commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, YONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named with Garden all round, Offices, Godowns, Ser-SINGA PORE. N.E. attended with squalls, thunder, lightning, THE undersigned having been appointed America, China and Japan. Fresh Supply of FRENCH-BOOTS received Vessel are hereby requested to send in vants' Quarters, and Outhouses. Area 1,064 and rain; in the afternoon the wind veered to JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager Agonte for the above Corporation, are their Bille of Lading to the Undersigned for by each French Mail. THE above Steamer having arrived, Con-Psubos of 36 square feet. the castward; on the 6th passed the Colorato prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-Countersignature, and to take-immediate de-Offices of the Corporation, Legionees of Ourgo by her are requested to 1, STANLEY-ST. & 44, QUEEN'S ROAL Annual Ground Rent, \$263.79. Rocks with strong breeze and heavy squalle No. 1, Queen's Road East, MARINE DEPARTMENT. livery of their Goods: send in their Bills of Lading to the Underfrom the N.E. and S.E. and short cross ees; at Hongkong, 17th February, 1876. No. 27 is separated from No. 6 by Water Policies at current rates, payable either hero, STORAGE. signed for Countersignature, and to take im-Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vesse 2 p.m. modera'e, bauling round to the W.S.W. Street, and comprises large Tes Firing and other Godowns, Floss Silk Press, Compradore's in London, or at the principal Ports of India, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk mediate delivery of their Goods. West and W.N.W.; at 4 p.m. blowing a gale Cloals received on Storage in First-class Cargo impeding her discharge will at once IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM Quarters, Stabling, and Fire Engine House. China, and Australia. from the westward, hezy, and the sea running Godowas of about 5,000 tons Capacity, VOGEL, HAGEDDEN & Vo., PANY. be landed and stored at Consignees risk and FIRE DEPARTMENT. in all directions; at 6 p.m. moderate, and voored Area, 554 Taubon. situated on the Praya West, Wanchi, Policies issued for long or short periods at to the N. and E.N.E. Ground Rent, \$154.97 per Annum. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., THE Undersigned, Agents for the above T. G. LINSTEAD. 631 . Honekong, 5th May, 1876. 1909 Hongkoug, 18th November, 1874. Applications for Porchass, or further Inengrent rates. Company, are prepared to grant Policica Agents. A discount of 20 % allowed. JERFALCON, FROM MELBOURNE. The British bark Thermopulae reports left against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on any formation, to be made to 6d 672 Hongkong, 10th May, 1876. THE Undersigned have been appointed bole Sydney on 28th March, and experienced light LIFE DEPARTMENT. J. WHITTALL Agents for the Sale-of their Goods in CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vesse variable winds to the Equator, which was one FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND Policies issued for same not exceeding £5,000, T. G. LINSTEAD. Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. TEN-FIRST-CLASS RISK, delivery of their Goods from alongside. SINGAPORE. prossed on the 23rd April Had E.S.E. trudes Trustees A. Heard & Co.'s Estate, on reasonable terms. NENT, Glasgow, and Mesers. DAVID CORSAD & at Current Rates. moderate to the Ladrone Islands; from thence HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. 23, Queen's Road, Hongkong. A RETURN OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20%) Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed Sons, Arbroath. THE Steamship Ponguin having arrived. to the Bashees light Ensterly winds ; on 9th May, tf 1363 Houskong 28th July, 1872 will be made on the premium charged on all 142 Hongkong, lat February, 1876. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. and stored at Consigness risk and expense. when 30 miles N.W. of the Pratas, it blew hard L. Consignces of Cargo are hereby requested from the S.E. and E. at 8 a.m.; by noon, it had Insurances, such RETURN being payable on the BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE tf 419 Hongkoner January, 1867. to send their Bills of Lading for Countersigns. MILLAR AND CO., . Bills of Lading to be sent for Countereignaveered to S.S.E., and by 6 p.m., it was W.N.W. issue of the Policy. COMPANY. ture to the Undersigned, and to take immediate HOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT NOW ON SALE. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., BOUND VOLUMES of the China Overland
Trade Report for the Year 1875. Price
Ten Dollars. GILMAN & Co., . blowing bardest from the South, and very heavy delivery of their Goods. PLUMBERS. FITHE Undersigned baving been appointed Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once oross sea running. On the Lith at 9 a.m. made COPPESSITHS, and BRASSFOUNDERS Agents for the above Company, are protf 603 Hongkong, 2nd May, 1876. Imperial Fire Insurance Company anded and stored at Consignees' rick and exthe Lama. 333 Hongkong, Ist March, 1874. pared to grant Insurance as follows .--QUEEN'S ROAD EAST AND NULLAH Apply at the Daily Press Office. NOTICE JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. THE following GOODS having been salved by the British Steamer Amon from the MARINE RISKS. Hongkong, March, 1876. Teb. 3 The Spanish steamship Zambounga reports YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION LANE. tt 152] 7d-661 Hongkong, 9th May, 1816. Jest Amoy on 9th May at 6 p.m., and anchored Policies at current rates, payable either here, OHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSUR-KRUPP'S CAST STREL WORKS OF SHANGHAL in London, or at the principal ports of India -ANCE COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION. wreck of the British Steamer Kwangtung, and in the outer roads in consequence of threaten-OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY! ESSEN (GERMANY) Australia, and the East. ing weather, The steamship Yerso also an-SOLE AGENT FOR OHINA. landed here, vix. :chored in the outer roads till daylight on the A BROKERAGE Of THIRTY, THERE and ONE. H, and F in diamond, 7 chesta Patus OPIUM. DIVIDEND No. 2. . NOTICE. F. PEIL. MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer 10th, and left four hours before the Zamboanga. THIRD PER CENT. will be allowed on all LOCAL Hongkong, Shanghai, Cologne (Germany.) ANCHISES are hereby notified that the H, and F in diamond, 28 chests Malwa OPIUM On the 8th in Amoy there was threatening NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. cargo is being discharged into Craft and landed NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE N and after this date the above Association Various Marks-20 packages PIECE GOODS. FIRE BISKS weather, and towards evening a gale sprung up at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both COMPANY AT HAMBURG. will allow a Brokerage of THIRTY-N and after the 3rd APRIL, a SECUND with typhoon violence and several Chinese Policies granted on First-class Buildings to cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The cargo " COW HORNS. oraft came to grief. Leaving the anchorage at DIVIDEND of Twenty-five Tacle (Tis. an extent of \$20,000. will be ready for delivery from Godown on and and ONE-THIRD PER CENT. THE Undersigned, Admirs for the above 68 slabs TIN. outer roads the weather still continued to be A DISCOUNT of TWENTY PER CENT. (20%) 25.00) Fer SHARE will be PAYABLE at the after the 9th May, 1876. Company, are prepared to GRANT IN-The Ownership of which is unknown; this very boisterous during the forenoon, and a very | 331 % on Local Risks only. upon the current local rates will be allowed on Offices of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI Goods undelivered after 16th May, 1876, wil SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-Il premiain charged for insurance; such dis BARKING CORPORATION, Shanghai. heavy sea was running. Passed two junks RUSSELL & Co. be subject to Rent. plass risks at current rates. is to request the Owners of any of the said bottom up, but no persons could be seen about count being deducted at the time of the issue Warrents will be delivered upon presentation BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Agente. Goods to communicate with the Undersigned MELCHERS & Co. of the Scrip for endorsement at the Head Office, 9d 638 Hongkong: 8th May. 1876. af 1800 Hongkong, 4th June, 1874. tf 674 Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. BUSSELL & .Co. respecting them. or and after the 28th instant.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company YANG-TEZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-BIEMSSEN-&-Co. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE Auction Sales To-day. TION OF SHANGHAL. Agenta for British etr. Ampy. will be CLOSED from the 25th March to the Hongkong, lat January, 1874. COMPANY. 585 Shanghai, 24th April, 1876. THE Steamship Cloufinlas, Captain McBain, 3rd April, both days inclusive. THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE THE Undersigned, having been appointed CAPITAL AND SURPLUS 800,000 TAELS. LA IE, CRAWFORD & Co., having arrived from the above Ports. By Order of the Liquidators, COMPANY LIMITED. CONSIGNEES of Cargo per German Bark Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby in-JUHN DUNN, At 12 noon, Sundry Goods. Agent in Hongkong for the above-named DOLIOIES granted on Marine Riche to all U Iphigenia, Marzen, Master, from Hamformed that their Goods are being landed at Acting Secretary Company, is prepared to GRANT POLICIES HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. against FIRE on Baildings, and on Goods to L. parts of the World, at current rates. burg are requested to take immediate delivery their risk and stored at the Godowns of the 371 Shanghai, 9th March, 1876. A GENCIES at all the Treaty-Ports of This Association wil, until further notice, of their Goods from alongside. A China and Japan and at Singapore, PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY Undersigned, whence and from the wharf and boats TOR SALE, HYDRAULIO PRESS, with the extent of £10,000 at the usual rates subject provide out of the carnings, first for an interest. Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed delivery may be obtained. to an immediate discount of 20 %.

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JAS. B. COUGHTRIE.

above-mentioned Ports.

No charge for Policy fees.

Hongkong, let November, 1871,

purpose of ascertaining the amount of stock. I

never overhaul the stock book for that purpose.

Mr. Brereton-No. he said it was that heigh

conversations with Mr. Rosario.

Mr. Jesus came,

weights and measurements were taken before

Witness-No. The foremen engineers, car-

Mr. Handley-Did not Awoot and Boyer

Witness-Yes. I say the pay lists for

measurements were taken by Awoot and Boyer.

Mr. Brereton-This arises out of your cross-

Mr. Brereton-Oh, I don't want to press the

Mr. Kingsmill-I object to that also, because

Mr. Russell-Yes, Mr. Brereton, I think Mr.

Mr. Kingemill-Not one word.

Mr. Brereton, Well, you need not be so

Mr. Kingsmill-I don't care whether you

Mr. Kingemil-Now stop.

Mr. Kingsmill-I gar it don't

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On the 11th May, at Shameen, Canton, the niant\_daughter of Alexander O. Levysohn.

Hongkong, May 12TH, 1876.

The success which is reported to have recently attended the arms of the AMEER bas Kowloon. After the jury had viewed the body the inquiry was adjourned until 4 p.m. sot our contemporary, the N. C. Daily News speculating. In a recent article on the future monarch of China, or the "Coming two days. From the syldence, deceased appears " as it describes him, it states that the to have complained of heart disease and to rito which forms the central and chief feature returned a verdict of death from natural ceases. of the meetings of the secret societies, with which the Central Kingdom is honeycombed, is an auxious gazing at a magic mirror. "In this the brothren are assured that they will one day behold the features of the So- to Sir Thomas Wade and to Colonel Duncan. The ideal of kingly character ful seeker after truth." This sort of superstition has often been believed in by Eastern nations, many of whom have waited for a sign before plunging into revolution, or upsetting a dynasty. The rite above-men-"tioned is observed, our contemporary alleges," not only-by the Chinese secret societies, but ber own account in conjunction with M. Pontet, by the "White Lily" brotherhood, which is who has apparently embraced her cause. a Mohammedan fraternity. It goes on to smoothe matters over, but Madame Dorani remark that by a very little contrivance it replies in a strain the reverse of conciliatory. could be managed so that the face of YACOOB BEO, or one resembling the visage of the the part of La Periodole to Madame Doriani, bold Kashgarian chief, should appear and the offer, says the Echo, implied an abnegasimultaneously, or, which is the same thing, tion rare among female artistes. It is to be bould be described as appearing simultaneously, at all the various meetings of the pany is already very small, and if divided will "White Lily" society. "This would." observes the Daily News prophetically, "drop the long waited for spark on the pre- vesterday morning reported buving experienced issued to the foremen of the different depart- in the day book as being in Mr. Rozario's hand pared combustibles, and be a signal for 9th instant, the vessel encountered a severe be wants anything from the storekeeper fills Mr. Kingsmill objected to the book. that vast uprising of the followers of the lyphoon, which lested until the morning of the up that form and sends it to the storckoepers . Mr. Russell said it had not been put in as on the eye of occurring. We know junk dismasted and a total wreck. The corter is the duty of the objet clerk or one of the upon it. how very easy it is to manipulate the was lowered by order of the captain and seven other elerks to make the entries in the day book. inasses when they have been prepared to exhaust doondition, having been much exposed day book should contain everything received vehement as that exhaust doondition, having been much exposed day book should contain everything expended, teak included. It Mr. Kingsmill—I will not have words put and when the final disclosure supplies a cray was done on board the Ningpo to make them contains the cutries of the timber received into my month. You are questioning the witing long felt. The Mohammedans in China are a great power, and they are slowly and wreck, was sighted, when the entter was again time was a Chinamant. The chief storekesper | Mr. Brereton-I have it down. surely gathering strength. They bave fervid beliefs; they might be united by a rallying junk. The poor fellows reported that they bed wanted for any particular job, the foreman in Mr. Biereton here read a question which he cry; their temper is warlike, and their obe- seen two large Tientsin junks, and one laden | charge of the job looks out for the most suitable said Mr. Kingsmill had put. dience to a leader who would show them the enemy would be implicit. The AMEER has main-mast was carried away, but were anable night. Sometimes there is a voucher for it, business too well. hitherto followed the traditions of the great to recover them or to render any assistance to but not usually. Everything else in the Mr. Bassoll-Well, really, gentlemen, this is The bill A (Mr. Degenser's bill for timber sup- by Mr. Waterlow, sec., who is still alive, in his conquerors of China, and he may be not the game afternoon a man chinging to a mant plied to a ship the chief officer signs arguing it. The book can be put in a proper of the Dock Company, as having received the ... We understand H.M. the King of Burmah is Mission of England. merely in the predictions of magicians and was noticed floating in the water. He was as having received it. The residence of the control of t King. If the latest rumours have any basis and stated that his six comrades had all ing the account when it is handed to the owners witness being questioned of the my cross-er to me nor did I sign say as having received the be in pushing on this work it is difficult to say, ses and logs mentioned in Asing's accounts but it is rumoured in Mandalay that in case of Shipping in port: H.M.S. Growler, Russian may have been already taken." There is a lible to hold on. The reso ed jankmen all foreman selects requires to be out he gives the Mr. Brereton-I will ask the witness no more for January and April.

writer has perhaps, allowed his imagination them.

to carry him a little further than facts or even probabilities warrant. Granted that the Chinese and Tartar Mohammedans might not be averse to receive the Amken if his arms were successful over the Imperial troops sent against him, is it not doubtful whether the remaining; population, which is of course, the overwholming majority would submit to be ruled by a follower of the

ced bave always sucoumbed readily

new fanatical and aggressive religion.

Empire are vigorous, morgetic, and have lat-

torly been growing in numbers, but still, when

compared to the rest of the population, they

are a mere handful. Beyond this, moreover

it is open to question whether, in the interest

of the natives or of the foreigners who have

hammedan ruler would be altogether desir-

intervene, such a change could not be effected

stayed. It would be a matter for considera-

on whother interference should be offered

onservative and obstructive dynasty now

cent Government is, it may readily bond-

many abuses would follow the expulsion of the

Tartars. YACOOB BEG might also be able to

found a strong Empire which would interpose

permanent barrier to the progress of

Russian aggression southwards; but would

here not also be a danger of his

becoming a standing menace to the peace and

security of the rest of Asia? Mohammedan.

potentates have not in past times proved

particularly anlightened or virtuous rulers,

nor has the religion of the Koran had a

beneficent influence on the peoples who have

adopted it. On the contrary, it has east a

blighting shadow wherever it has attained

supremacy, and at the present moment offers

the most insuperable obstacle to the abolition

of slavery in Africa. There is little reason

to wish its extension in Asia, even to

replace the dark and dreary doctrines of

do so. The Crescent has long clearly been

on the wane, and it is unlikely that a faith

escentially sensuous and of the earth earthy

impossible that the Mohammedans of Cen-

The outward French mail steamer passed

Cape St. Jacques at eight o'clock yesterday

that that vessel left Singupore for this port of

We learn that another piratical attack was

Return of Visitors to the City Hall Library

ind Museum for the week ending 10th May --

Thursday ..... 518

An inquest was beld yesterday at the Go-

vernment Civil Hospital at 10 a.m. before Mr.

Rustomiee Woonwalfa, Daniel de Roza, and

Carl Kruse), on the body of a Chinese woman,

ound on the hill side near the docks at

when they met at the magistracy. The body

have died where she was found. The jury

Russell, coroner and a jury (comprising Mesars,

Friday ...... 100 .....

the world, and that very shortly.

morning on her way to Houghour.

Would the newcomers be preferable to the

able. If the Western Powers saw

weather on the night of the 8th and during the 9th North of this port. The French ma steamer Meikong reports binaterly winds to Chapel Jaland, then enddenly a heavy sea strong gnets of wind, which increased fill midnight of the 9th. A dead calm then set in for Prophet? It may be argued that the Chiwith renewed violence from the N.N.E. lasting all the passage. The steamships Zeno bound superior military power, and that the Mano Foochow, and the Zambeanga bound to ther chus were numerically not more formidable ort were detained at the outer harbour ham the Kushgarians. But it must be may in consecutiones. The Gorman bark Papa smembered that they did not introduce a from Liverpool coming up from the Bonth also experienced the outskirts of the typhoon. look at it myself or inquire of one of the clerke. is true that the Mohammedans in the Chinese

The charge against Robert Duncan and M. geeded with before Mr. Russell at the Police reference to receipt and expenditure, but I gured them? Mr. Broreton was for the prosesution; Mr. Company had tenk wood in stock on the 22nd

Kingamill, instructed by Mr. Dennys, for Mr. | Septemper, 1874, the day before the typhocn. My Liddell was again put in the box, and Mr. proper stack. The company's was not stacked belief-Brereton said be wished to ask him some fur- so permanently, that is it was piled more logs, planks, and crooks. Some of Rinch's

ave beneil marks on the documents. Mr. Brereton said he had no objection.

31st December must speak for itself. Mr. Brereton -But I want to show that show the stock on the Sist December!

is a stronger word against you. Witness-It does. growing too strong, and of his successors

on 31st December bave anything to do with this account? I can't admit it. menta without reference to the stock.

Mr. Kingsmill here took the document from witness's band. Mr. Kingsmill-I don't care whether he is spars. using it or not. I will take it when I want it. By Mr. Handley-Mr. Rozario was chief clerk, will not say that they had not different marks. (After a panse.) No. I find it shows the ex- He had charge of all the stores. His duties I know it was very important they should

Mr. Kingsmill-Ob. I see now. Mr. Brereton-Well, what was the expendid duty to look after them. It was his duty to

mportance we ought to get the best evidence February, under Mr. Rozario's supervision. I typhoon. The day book and stock book should we can. We ought to have the mun who made did not see him standing there while it was show what teak has been used since September, the measurements. Mr. Brereton-Those men I understand can't | measuring it, and making notes. Mr. Rozario e broduced. Mr. Bussell-Well, be-ought to know as

manager that none was used except for specific purposes. I am going to take this answer gradually got down to two coolies. down. : "I accepted the results banded to me there was in stock 1,970 lost." Is that correct? the 16th February. I made a mistake in my

wood, less what has been expended and of there, when the measurement was taken! He the Company's dock. There is now in stock list February 16th) is in the handwriting of Mr. 1,743 feet. I have verified that by menoprement. | Gomes, Mr. Jesus, and Mr. Rozario. There ascertained the quantity consumed since the are only two items with hart Mr. Kingemill-The books must tell their Aberdeen to assist Mr.Rozario, and he made out own story.

The books were then examined by Mr. Kings- Rozario. Jesus, one of the clerks. The result was to show an expenditure between the days named Mr. Russell—Is that what you made it out to

furnished to Mr. Rozario by the heads of other peasurements of about 70 feet. On further reference to the book this was penters, etc., had nothing to do with stock

were made you must allow for outting up.

taking into account the measurements you the supervision of Mr. Rozario. made yesterday, can you say what the stock on Mr. Breroton-Youang there was both Riach's tendent more or less. I am emperintendent, was much decomposed, baving been exposed for Mr. Russell-Why not go back and ascertain not a fact that the company's consisted for the that by the books, having got this and assuming | most port of heavy logs ? Mr. Brereton-I have sent Mr. Gillies.

The Allahabad paper has been furnished with the following information regarding the Yonoun Mission .- " Mesers. Grosvenor and Beter were at Yunnan-fu, and, indeed, they must have sent off almost simultaneous despatches Gomes, the second clerk. He bas kept it for epecified. vereign who shall set all things right. The information received at Coloutta through it became his onty to keep it, it was kept by a instance, because Mr. Brereton opened the quest e letter officer is quite natisfactory. The man named Driver, who was third clerk. He tion, and I have not cross examined witness Chinese seem anxious that the inquiry shall be has gone to England. He went about eighteen, upon it. something more than a farce; at any rate, they months ago. . In the interval between his Mr. Brereton-Well, I won't press the ques form and to show himself to the faith. are anxious to imprees the Government with leaving and Gomes taking it up it was kept by tion, but I will ask him one now which I think this idea; Li Sitai as we have heard from a Mr. Paes. He held the post of assistant clerk. does arise. Had the Company any timber i fumour already, has really been ordered to He had more wages than the second elerk. the shed of similar scantiness to Riach's lot?

During their stay in Yokohama a split has occurred in the French Opera Comique Troupe. Some cause of jeulousy has arisen between Mcsdames Doria and Doriani. The latter artists appears to have been giving performances on L'Annay-Céphas writes to the Echo trying to Madame Dorlin had, so far, attempted to bring about a reconciliation by offering to surrender

The British steamer Ningpo, which arrived chief clerk. There are small indeat books Mr. Brereton was about to identify an entry very boistefous weather up North. On the ments. I produce a form. Each foreman when writing, when 10th instant. At noon on the latter day, when The storekeeper files these. His duty is to band evidence. off Haimun Bay, the Ningpo nighted a fishing the files of vouchers daily to the chief clerk. It Mr. Brereton-Mr. Kingsmill asked questions consortable. At 3 p.m. the isme day another and the timber used from day to day. dismasted junk, which turned out to be a total By the Court. The chief storekeeper at that examination, and I will not permit it. lowered and twelve men were rescued in a still now is a Portuguese. more exhausted state than the crew of the other By Mr. Kingsmill Supposing timber is have it down or not with augur go down during the gale. They piece, gets it measured by a Chinaman, who Mr. Kingemill never put That bill was made out to John Riach. I don't It is said that there are now 8,000 persons men carried away by must of the second junk, The chief officer signs for the purpose of check. What his object may in tow the British barous Noutilus bound to

Telegraphic communication between Shanghai and Amoy bas been re-cetablished. The India is now working satisfactorily.

There appears to have been some very had

PRIOUS CHARGE OF CONSPIRAC Rozario, for conspiracy to defined the Hong- From my own knowledge I could not generally kong and Whampon Dock Company, was pro- speak of the state of any particular stock with

Duncan; and Mr. Handley, instructed by That was stored in the same shed as Biach's lot arge commercial stakes in the country, the Messrs, Stephens and Holmes, for Mr. Rozario. | but on one side. Riach's lot of planking was a exchange of the Manchu dynasty for a Mother questions, as to the measurement of the loosely. To the best of my recollection the timber, as he had gone through the accounts Company's teak wood on that day consisted of

They would have out to speak, and the A document marked I, purporting to be the stock remained in the same place the day after corrected stock list signed by witness, but the typhoon. march of the victorious army would be which was not allowed to be put in evidence on Mr. Kingsmill-And it stood nine or the last occasion as he was unable to verify the lest dight contents, was now again putints witness's bands. Mr. Kingsmill suggested that all pensil marks originally. be taken off doon ments before they were received .- Mr. Kingamill-I am reading from my notes. as evidence, as there ought to be nothing in They are seldom found intcourate. them not notually belonging to them. Mr. Russell referred to with Mr. Russell enid it was very inconvenient to found Mr. Kingemill correct. seafed on the Dragon Throne? The pre-

mitted, feeble, slow, and often impractic-Witness's examination was then proceeded pile stood about twelve feet high. All took able : but, after all, is it much worse with. He said. This shows the tenk wood ex- wood that comes into the colony is marked, be about seventy planks missing, but it was than that of the Sultan of TURKET! It is pended from the 3lst December, 1875, to the probable that a great number of reforms 16th February, 1876, inclusive. It also shows the balance of the stock of teak on the 3let would be introduced if the AMEER became supreme at Peking, and that the abolition of

Mr. Kingsmill-No; it can't do that. The what it was. It was stored quite agart from other account is incorrect. Does it purport to

Mr. Kingsmill-Does it show ! Mr. Brereton-Well I will use "show." Mr. Kingamill-But how can stock in hand

Mr. Russell-We can take the actual measure-Witness-It shows the amount in stock on the 16th February was 1,970 onbio feet.

Mr. Brereton-Plus the stock.

Witness-248; feet. Mr. Russell-I think in a matter of this that the wood was measured on the 16th

should experience any but a short-lived revival. At the same time it is by no means by Mr. Rozario on the 10th February, showing not present when the wood was measured on tral Asia may yet make some slight stir in

made on a fishing junk two-days ago, six miles men made the report at the Central Police

explained by the fact of incomplete accounts baving been included in one measurement and not in the other. W.tuess-The books will show accurately the

Mr. Brereton-It is very difficult to get people to measure timber exactly the same, and | Japuary and April were handed to me by Mr. between the times when the measurements Rozario. It was his duty to hand me all anob By the Court—The amount which should in the course of the month. have been in stock on the 16th February was blr. Brereton-Looking, at that return and They were so taken by the direction and under.

the 31st December was. make a tabulated statement

Mr. Russell-That is the best way.

Mr. Brereton-Very well, that is all I will Witness, cross-examined by Mr. Kingsmill, -The stock book is kept at present by Mr. found the quality of the timber and not been about four or five months continuously. Before Mr. Kingemill-Well, I say the question does

That was because be was formerly chief clerk at Whampon, but in consequence of illness be it is merely a continuation of the examination was removed to Kowloon, as it agreed with him | in chief. better. His duties were confined to the office. Driver, before he went home, had been keeping. Kingsmill is right there. he stock for about twelve months. He went Mr. Brereton-Very well. I think I have ome because he said he had not enough wages. right to nek the witness to speak as to the pression on my mind. He was dissatisfied. When propose to put in. he came to China he expected comething great. - Mr. Kingemill objected to this also, and said There was no difference between him and his the architect should prove it. employers. He had the offer of a free passage Mr. Wilson, architect, was then called, and home and accepted it. The clerks get the ma- | ewere to the accuracy of the map of terial for the stock book from the day book. It | Company's precises at Kowloon as they stood is not the duty of one particular elerk to keep | yesterday. the day book. It is kept by more than one Mr. Liddell's re-examination continued On clerk. I fancy that is eq, and now when I see this plan I can point out the timber shed of don't make entries in the day book without where Rinch's lot stood. I said entries were any rule. There is no general rule, but made in the day book by different clerks. It is it is all under the supervision of the u fact that Mr. Rozario has made entries.

ness on what does not arise out of the gross-

is charged for. That is so when there is no detail the position of the various timber in the correct,

waste. If the piece wanted is very near shed before the typhoos, and the manner is the size from which it is out the ship pays | which it was niled. Northern line to Japan, Europe, America, and for the whole piece; if it is not near the Mr. Hussell said he might inform the gentle size it only pays for what is delivered. It men engaged in the ease that being over at Kowis a Chinese carpenter who writes down loon on Wednesday he went to look at the shed the measurement which is handed to the clerk, I not knowing they would have the map, and the and taken the dimensions of the piece delivered. | manager showed him some timber piled up in It is not the man who cuts the timber who takes the came way as that now spoken of. the measurements. There are special men told | In reply to further questions, the witness said

off for that purpose; cometimenthere may be two i be could not recollect whether the marks on the men measuring on the same day. The measurer | two lots of timber were the same or differen hands the account into the office. Those He called Risch's lot so because he understood accounts are on pieces of board, and the it was stored there for Mr. Binob -- Mr. Risob entries are transferred to the day book. There | was at Shanghai. The marks are puben some | La analyer to further questions till 3 a.m. on the 10th, and had thick weather is no one in the place specially in charge times by the experiers and semestimes by the of timber. I suppose I am being in charge of importers. The company had excess and logs the dooks. Thore is a stock account of timber similar to those comprising Risch's lot. a debit and credit account in the stock book | Mr. Russoll-How many? which is taken from the day book. I goold see . Witness-I out sav.

the stock account every day. I do not often Wit Russelle-Come, now you are a practical look at it unless I want to see about nomething man, amproved to have all these things at your -na to whether it is in stock or not. I either fingers' ends. Suppose a director asked you to day how many grooks you had in stock, could I don't generally refer to the stock book for the you not fell him within half a dezen? Witness-Yes, I could tell within half dozen, seeing we counted and measured them Mr. Russell-But empress you had not men-

might sometimes from outful observation. The Witness I could not tell. Mr. Russell-But you would have an idea. Witness - I don't want to commit myself. Mr. Russell-But you need not commit vourself, you can awair to the best of your

After considerable pressing, wituess said be examined by the directors. There was a crooks and from fifteen to twenty logs. In was on the old ones. Before the purchase is mad. Unto this morning the bidy had not answer to further questions, witness said that made the directors see these indents. after the typhoon the timber which was recovered was piled up as nearly as possible in is that the timber bus been ordered. to distinguish Riach's logs and crooks. They file kept of what is indented for. Timber comes could distinguish the planks. The recovered sometimes which is not indented for. ot were placed on the top of the pile remaining. Mr. Russell referred to witness's evidence and

Mr. Russell here pressed the witness for an approximate estimate of the quantity missing. Mr. Brereton—I don't dispute it now.

Oross-examination continued—Originally the Witness for a considerable time refused to give an estimate. Finally be said there might The Company's teak was not marked with the only a guess.

Company's mark, I can't say what mark was Witness was thou questioned with reference on it, but there would be some mark. There to the loss and plants. He said-I could not was some mark on Rinch's lot, but I don't know tell what was lost as I took no account. I know the Company's timber, and there was a piece of a particular job were lost because we had to lying jambled about the morning after the To the best of my belief there were some crooks amount. lost, perhaps eight. Some of the Company's Mr. Russell-We ought to get more definite | teak logs which had been out up were lost. Riach's lot and the company's lot. A good was impossible. There were some crooks regreat many vessels required repairs. There all put together. No attempt to separate them

generated but there were other important things were chiefly indoors. If he saw anything going wrong in connection with the artizans it would to be done. I had to go into the barbour with Mr. Duncan. It did not occur to me at the be his duty to check them, but it was not his time that they should be separated. Mr. Duncan, in his letter of inquiry, did not ask about measure or see measured new stocks of timber, but not timber used by the carpenters. I said Riach's lot. There was not much teak wood used in the repairs of the vessels after the my other work. being measured. I say the Chinamen actually 1874. I have made no inquiry as to what that was. There was at least 2,000 feet of teak in the shed at the time of the typhoon. The books will show the amount of teak used in each jub. Mr. Handley-You were niked to measure it, and Mr. Gomes was asked to measure it, and it I had orders from Mr. Duncan to ascertain the

loss after the typhoon, and I handed it to Mr. Hozario, That was about five days after Witness-As far as I know, Mr. Rozario was I received the note, or ten days after the time. typhoon. I don't recollect expressing my examination, when I said there was a Portuover to the company. I was not a party to the as to justify the refusal of bail, did not use the timber without knowing! bus I can't say without reference to the accounts. By the Court-Mr. June bad come from whether it was the company's or not. I must

> Witness-He got it from the books and had a little probing. Had you any nutbority from tion, but would make a note of it. By Mr. Handley-The greater part of the Mr. Duncan or anyone else to use it ?

Witness-No. Mr. Russell-Then why did you use it? Witness-I don't recollect using the crocks, I did not notice the item of \$657 in the pay list. although I signed it. We did not use much teak for some time after the typhoon. I saw the item of \$3,049 in Asing's account for April, remarked that such and such was there. was to Mr. Rozario I remarked it, I don't. recollect what he said in reply. He said "The Company have taken over that wood stored by Mr. Duncan," or words to that effect. I do: think we had used any of the timber then. lists. I have a great many documents to sign | could not possibly have used the 94 crooks. The day book would not show that, as the ent By Mr. Brereton-I said the weights and would only be for so many feet of teak. never saw any teak wood pass through Asing account before. We must have had a stock of our own at the time. I was Rozario's superinlot and the company's timber in the shed; is it but they trusted him too. I took this intimation from Mr. Bozario, and did not report it to Mr. Dancan, although Rozario was subordinate to me. I have no knowledge of having used the crooks belonging to Riach's lot. Thave had no knowledge of the creaks being made over to-

Mr. Rousell-Then you must have us The evidence was then referred to, and it was Witness-I expect we have. what did not belong to you? Witness-We have had it since April. Mr. Russell-Long possession will give a

title to property in some cases; but this is on Witness-I thought the crooks were included n the \$3.049 in the April list. Mr. Russell-How long have you superintendent P

Witness-I have not been appointed yet. Mr. Russell-What is your standing? Witness-I was appointed acting superi tendent four years ago by Mr. Mitchell. That has not been confirmed. I was appointed at \$175 I don't recollect him saying so; but that is the im- correctness of this plan of the docks which I a month, and I received \$50 a month from

Capt. Minto for doing part of Mr. Donoan'e work, and Mr. Duscan also received some of Capt. Minto's pay as he did some of the work. My present aslary is \$250. My allowance from Captain Minto censed when Mr. Donoan was confirmed in his appointment as secretary, Some time after the company gave me permanent increase of \$25. I am not nure whether I did not receive one pay of only the writing I am sure. Olerke in the office which I have spoken. I can point out the part \$175. After Mr. Dungan's appointment I wanted \$225, as I did not like losing money. I spoke to Mr. Duncan two or three times about it, and he told me I should get it in two or three months. Two or three months after, I received the increase to \$225 with back pay from the time I ceated to draw the \$50 mouthly from Minto. That was about three years ago. I received my next increase about eighteen mouths ago. If my salary is put down as \$225 in the April pay list of last year it must be correct. I think I have been drawing my last increase for a year. On reference to the accounts it was found that the increase was given in May, 1875.

Mr. Russell-The timber was taken over April, 1875 P. Witness-Yes. Mr. Rossell-You know it was not Riach's Witness-I know Mr. Duncan, brought it? Mr. Russell-Was there any bill made out. Witness-There was a bill for the fetching

over of the leak wood, but it was never paid, lives.

Mr. Russell-But you knew they had not been supplied by Asing! Witness-Yes Mr. Russell - Any person looking at this pay

list would naturally infer that you certified it as haing correct? Witness-Yes

Witness-Yes. Mr. Rossell-And you signed it without the gods, so that there may be no epidemic, or making any note or explanation ? Witness-Yes.

-On the January necount I see the initials ings. Years ago the processions used to come of one of the directors "R.D." which out of the city to the foreign settlement; but are the initials of Mr. Deacon. There are also lowing to the Bridge of Boats giving way, and the initials of "J.S.L." which are those of Mr. about a hundred and twenty-four people being Imprais. The April account, which contains drowned, it was decided in future not to wisit the 3.049 cubic feet of teak, signed by me, is the settlement. kewise initialed by the same directors. Mr. Rassell-Lace, Mr. Liddell, your memor

not so had. I see on this pay list of April 1875, an outry of back salary to you? amount is \$50. Mr. Russell.—So that is promotion back wards. In whose writing is that P

Witness-In Mr. Gomes. It is cortifled by myself and initialed by the directors. and quality of timber required for the yard. Witness-It is my duty to say what timber is wanted. I always indent for it. The indents are sent to the scoretary. Formerly they were back again and was soon in deep water, and bould think the Company had about twenty for the directors to approve or disapprove. That sank. One of his shoes was discovered in the don't come back to me. The next thing I hear friends have been doing all they have been the same shape as before. Tuey were not able ordered by the secretary. There is a counter Mr. Russell-And which is not wanted ?

Witness-Well the secretary knows best. When so placed the pile was not its original . Mr. Russell No, you are the acting manager burnt. This was for the spirit's use in its new nd who so likely to know as ventsell? Did you ndent for the wood got from Mr. Degenaer

Mr. Russell-How is it Asing applies Manila terdwood. Chinaman for it. I have advised Asing two or from being trodden on by the crowd. three times to get a log. He paid for it and that some crooks which had been cut out for got repaid. There would be a Chinese bill. The irectors would know nothing about that further the wood nailed on the side warning the carpenters get others after the typhoon. I understood than that I certified for it. I don't look through not to dee it. I don't remember seeing that Mr. Rozario made an account. He gave the the accounts. If I did I would be able to do bye to his friends. These however were not of piece of wood there next morning. I cannot quantity lost as 200 cubic feet. I could not nothing else, and there would be no need for a

Mr. Russell-Oh ayou noticed that, did you f participating in which he would fain have been -Witness-Yes. I then my the item for teak excused. They had discovered that he intended notions than this from a man whose business They had about 70 inch teak planks, either lost | wood. I thought it was there by an understand. levanting, so watched for him and he was it is to deal with timber and who is in charge or rendered useless. After the typhoon no ing between Mr. Duncan and Mr. Rozario. I am | caught, Shanghai Courier correspondent. attempt was made to separate Risch's lot of simost sare I never mentioned it to Mr. Duncan. Oross-examination-Of the timber lying logs from the Company's. They were lumped Idon't know if the money was ever paid to Asing. jumbled about I would say there were portions together. I made no such attempt because it I did not see him paid: I now produce an in. told us on reliable authority. It appears the dent marked L. No. 49, duted 23th February, unfortunate creature was concerned in a case deal of timber was used after the typhoon. A covered. They were not separated. They were 1870, which will show an indent of articles re- and for some reason found berself suddenly quired. I think we have received all the articles seized by the underlinge of the Court, who Mr. Brereton-He is using it, Mr. Kingsmill. | was not much teak used in those repairs, chiefly was made by me. I would have been able to there mentioned. This is not signed by either stripped the upper part of her body maked, and separate them if they had different marks. I secretary or director. The pencil marks are then lashed her so brutally that she was soon. those of a clerk in the office.

At this point Mr. Russell proposed to adjourn. and asked what day would be suitable. Mr. Kingsmili and he could not some either to-day or Saturday, as he had other business. Mr. Russell-Could you not come for three bours on Saturday. -Mr. Kingsmill-Then I could not get through.

Mr. Brereton-Why not sit to-morrow. Mr. Kingsmill-Well I can't come, that's all. don't see what is the necessity of burrying this case. There is ample scourity, and Mr. Brereton's case can't suffer, and it can't come on It was ultimately agreed to adjourn the case

Mr. Duncan's bail was extended until that Mr. Handley renewed his application for bail surprise at the smallness of our loss of timber. for Mr. Bozario. He contended that the In reply to Mr. Brerston-The same tenk guese clerk there. I did not see Mr. Rozario I believe the remainder of Rizon's lot was passed widence against bim was week and not such all possible support for having hit upon so

until Monday, at eleven o'clock,

which I can give an accurate account, is now in was in the office. The document "I" (stock transaction, Lunderstood from Mr. Russell said be could only repeat what it had been passed over. I don't remember Mr. he had said before, that some man passed for passed telling me. I know passed to be kept in custody for Rozario tellino me I brome was passed. I some time, although at last found innocent, Mr. Brereton opposed the application. " Mr. Russell said the duty of a magistrate was

have known of the passing about the time it was to secure the presence of the charged before the account from materials furnished by-Mr. passed. I don't know what time that was: I him. The evidence for the prosecution was not knew nothing about the 24 crooks. I knew | concluded, and he could not say what amount | far, an appreciation of the benefits to be derived-Mr. Russell-This is a matter which requires | any. He really could not consent to the applica-

> POLICE INTELLIGENCE: May 11th.

BEFORE THE HON. U. MAY, DRUNKENNESS.

James Flaherty; a sesman belonging to the U.S.S. Kearsarge, was fined 50 cents for getting and ordered to pay 25 cents chair hire. Assam, a seaman, unemployed, was charged by another seamen named Ng Apo with the arceny of his jacket from their boarding bonse.

After evidence confirming the charge, the prisoner was sentenced to one month's hard labour. CUTTING PLOWERS. Chan Kam Fuk, a school boy, was fixed \$2 for outting flowers at the New Public Gardens.

Two women, Ho Alun and Chan Wan Kam, her to Hongkong...

morning went out to their usual work leaving without some specimen of quadruped o bined the company. There are twelve crooks in the the child and mother at the house. On the return being exhibited at the corners of the streets of the grandmother, she found the child missing. In this way-welves, turkey buzzards, Chinese and the mother crying, and considering the child | giants, cranes, ourlews, bustards, &c., are for had been taken down to Hougkong, came down sale and can be purchased as a rule for a few in search. Having a relation, she was wending cash. As the mountain, therefore, comes, to Mr. Russell-Then you knew you were using ber way towards her and met the first prisoner Mahomet, our local naturalists obtain inforleading the child. She had her arrested, and mation in an easy and comfortable way; without the police, in consequence of what she said, the laborious task of journeying in the interior. arrested the second prisoner. The second pri - Shanghai Courier Correspondent. soner admitted to the police coming down from Canton, and several witness gave evidence of seeing her leading the child about and seeking

An Yang Kam, a coole, was charged with As usual at these meetings everything passed off robbing his fellow workmen of some of their amicably and smoothly. It seems to me that clothing at Yow-mah-tee. The charge was the renters have great reason to be satisfied with proved, and he was sent to two months' hard the management of their affairs for the past

MISCHIEVOUS SRAMEN. Edward Elvin and lesse Venus, two seaman, unemployed, were charged with smashing and pulling down lanthorns hung up at Chinese about Tle, 5,000, and, considering that the

along the Queen's Road last night at about Il o'clock and knocked and pulled down all shipped by foreign merchants, and on the the lanthorns hung up outside the doors of tribute rice brought by China Merchants the Chinese shops. Several shopkeepers came | steamers, figure at something like Tle. 1,900. The prisoners were fined 60 shillings each | fees, while tons upon tons of heavy manchinery.

done, in default, one month and three days enob bard labour. ALLEGED UNLAWFUL DETENTION OF WOMEN. the foreign cemetery was vested in the Municipal Wong Akwai, a married woman, and Chung Council, and a proposal was unenimously cur-Achung, a widow, were charged by Chu Achat, a Government turnoock, with the unlawful state of thorough repair, the expense coming detention of two girls. It appears the first prisoner is concubine to for the year and Messrs. Henderson, Beveridge.

the prosecutor. One girl he alleged has been Macpherson, Cordes, and Moore. sent away, and he said she sent one to Singapore some time ago. He brought the case been having for the last five or six months, for forward because he was a Government servant. I'm week of two longer, will entail very abort-After the evidence given by him there momed crops. The winter wheat is a failure, and to be some doubt as to the genuineness of the milet not yet sown. The prayers of the authocharge. The case was accordingly remanded until the 18th instant.

Locland has only one juil -Advertisor, Pro bably a nips house. Boston Commercial Bulletin. Can it be truly said that sailors lend wreckless

had lost seven of their number when their chaiks it down, and hands it to the clerk at any most question. Mr. Kingsmill knows his know where it is now. It was in the office for employed by the firm of Waterlow & Co. some time. I don't think it was ever presented. Lunited. The business was commenced in 1814 road, a large store is being erected, and we are

any rapture arising on the military escort strengthened thereby -Rangoon Mail

NINGPO.

The steamship Chinking from Canton and Hongkong arrived this morning. Hhe bas consigned to firms at this port 161 chosts opium. There is a good deal of feasting and rejolcing going on in the city just now. Large proces-Mr. Russell-And-you knew Asing bad not sions are formed, theatrical performances are being held in the steects, and the temples are visited, the object of all this being to propitiate but little sickness during the downon summer. and that those who participate in the proceedings may meet with success in their undertake

Yesterday aftermon a young man of the tender age of fifty made a wole in the water. It appears that he and his brother had a dis-Witness-Yes, for March and April. The pute about the division of some property, and as the two could not agree on the subject, one of them settled the matter by committing suicide and thus waiving all plain to the bone o contention. It is said that at first be deliberately walked into the river, about 2 p.m. Mr. Russeil-Who judges of the quantity yesterday; but while still within his depth be appears to have changed his mind, for at low water his foot-marks showed that he had walked towards the dry ground. However, he went before anyone could come to his assistance b They been recovered. The dead man's relatives and taught to do for the benefit of his spirit. Al one apot on the river a large wooden washing. bason was moored; in this was placed burning. ose stick, in order to ficilities the spirit's leparture to the other world. At another snot on the bank of the river some mock syden was

Limentioned in my last that a considerable Witness-I don't know. The books will amount of festivity and rejoicing was going on in the city. Last evening-two women who were taking part in the above, had their diothing. torn of them by a mob and their earings and Witness-If we were short of a log I would, ornaments wrenched forcibly from their persons: while they themselves were much hart A few days ago, a Chinese who had received \$20 in advaded to go cuttlefishing, preferred the dollars to the fishing, and endeavoured to leave for parts unknown without saying goodthe same opinion as himself, so when he say positively whether it remained or not. The say if any of Riach's logs were lost. As a clerk. My attention was drawn to the April attempted to take a cheap passage in one of the stuck was flat on the top. There was teak wood matter of belief I should say none were lost, pay list for 1875 by its being such a large local steamers a violent demonstration on the part of big friends was the result, and from A dieadful case of woman-beating, by order of the Magistrate of a native Court, hus been covered with blood. Such an open violation of the Chinese law, which expressly forbids beating women, except by slapping on the cheek. has not been beard of for a long time, and we sincerely hope the brutal official will speedily be held accountable for his misconduct. The in-

SHANGHAI.

Herbert A. Giles,-N. C. Daily News.

cident is commended to the notice of Mr.

We notice by an express that the Mitsu Biehi Mail Steamship Company's steamer Tsuruga Maru, late Luzon, will commence to ply on the route between Kobe, Shimonoseki, Nagasski, Chefoo, and Newshwarz, starting from Kobe on 13th instant, returning will leave Newchwang on or about 28th instant, and is due at this port about 1st June. This will make a most delightful trip for the warm weather, and the Japanese Company deserve

excellent an idea. Feng. Teo-t'ai has started for Sonchow in a small steam-lounch, out a visit to the Fuftai. It is surmised that desputches have been received by the Governor of that city from Peking, in which the Tao-tai is more or less interested and it is likely that the Vicerov will arrive at Boochow during the Tao-t'ai's stay. We are glad thut His Excellency has, so

A correspondent addresses us follows upon the subject of the Lan-hwa, now being exhibited in the native city:-"This term, I believe, is applied to the Chloranthus inconspicuus as well as to the Aglait oforate, and in consequence atter which is used for scenting tea, and not the Chloranthus inconspicuus now on abow. The Chinese names are as fullows :- Chloranthus inconspicuus. Ke Chacu Lan (Cock's claws). Adaia odorata. Ohin Ohoo Lan (True), or Yu-Taze Lan (Fishes eggs)."-- Courier.

Yesterday rain was prayed for in the chapel, but as yet without effect, for even the May-dew was conspicuous by its absence this morning. The crops are suffering intensely from the drought, and a blighting breeze from the south has yellowed the young wheat stalks, and the grain being prematurely in the ear it is now too late to expect any important were charged by Lew Aling, of Canton, with | benefit, even though the flood-gates opened kinapping her daughter's child and bringing instanter. The Chinese have apparently discovered the interest evinced by Foreigners for It appears the prosecutrix and her family one natural history, and scarcely a day passes

The anonal meeting of landrenters took place at the British Consulate on the 25th instant few years. The outgoing Council presented a balance sheet showing I am told nearly Tla. 9,000 to the good. Of this amount, the three lines of steamers trading to the port contributed greater portion of the band is given up to their It appears that the prisoners took a ramble | use as wharf, the payment is by no means too large. Wharfage dues on cargo landed and-Sailing vessels paid about Tls. 250 as mooring and ordered to pay 80 cents each for damage landed for the two arsenals paid nary a cent. A discussion on the unfair levy of the wharfage does led to be result. The management of ried that the walls and gates should be put in a

> A continuance of the dry weather we have rities for rain, and the abstention for some time from the sloughter of animals, with the view of propitiating the Goddess of that much wishedfor blessing, bave been without avail. If continual and extensive building is a sign of the presperity of a place, then the merchants

out of the Municipal funds. The Councillors.

of Tientain aught to be congratulated. What was a short time ago the only vacant lot on the bund is now bei 'r built upon. On the back road, known to a select few as the Victoria likely man to see the erection of a Theological Seminary in connection with the Methodist

gunboat Morge, four Chinese gunboate, steamers Mr. Russell-How do you account for that? | passing to and from Bhamo, the "King of all Pautah, Yung-ching, Taku, and Shingking; sail-, may have been already taken. There is a specified to the captain and erew order to No. 1 Oblinese carpenter. For the questions.

Mr. Rossell—How do you account for that? passing to and from Bhame, the "King of all Pautah, Yung-ching, Taku, and Shingking; sailgood deal in all this, doubtless, but the of the Ningpo for the assistance extended to purpose of the day book, only what is delivered. In answer to the Court, witness explained in Witness I took the pay list as being the numbrellas "fancies his position, will be ing vessels none. Shanghai Courter Correspondent. Vessels Advertised as Loading.

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murderers were then traced as far as Marup.

where they were arrested and tried in Simang-

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after approval by H.H. the Rejah.
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We hear from Hankow that the first tea-

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# Post-Office Notifications.

A marl will close For Swatow. Per Jeddah, to-day, the 12th inst. at 10.30 A.M.-For Manila .- Per Soringon, to-day, the 12th" instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Singapore and Penang-Per Norden, today, the 12th inst., at 2.30 n.m. For Sulgun Per Gungo, to-day, the 12th inst. at 4.80 P.M. For Hankow .- Per Cawdor Castle, to-morow, the 13th inst., of 1130 A.M. For Nagataki, Kobe, and Yokobama. Po

MAILS BY THE FRENOH PACKET. The French Contract Packet MEIKONG. will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 13th May, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, wit Marseilles, to Saicon Singapore Batavia, Galle, Anatralia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, Aden, Seychelles, Rounion, Mauriting, Snez, and Alexandria. Letters may also be forwarded to India by this Packet, but can be paid only as far as Ceylon. The postage to Ceylon must be prepaid. Such letters should be marked Paid to Galls only; they will go on from Galle a The following will be the hours of closing the

Friday, 12th May. 5 P.M. Money Order Offige closes Post - Office closes except the Niger Box. which remains open all night. Saturday, 13th May. 7 A.M., Post Office opens for hale of Stumps Registry of Letters, and Post-

ing of all correspondence. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ocases. 11 A.M. Post Office closes except for Late 11.10 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom or to Singa. pore may be posted on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents extra postage.

11.80 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES ALFRED LISTER, Postmaster-General.

General Post Office Hongkong, 29th April, 1876. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES'

The United States' Mail Packet OFTY OF PEKING will be despatched on MONDAY, the 15th instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, and the United States, which will be OLOSED as follows :--2 P.M. Registry of Letters conses.

2.30 r.m. Post Office doses.

2,30 P.M. Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 12 cents extra Postage, until 2.50 P.M. when the Muil is finally closed. Correspondence must be specially directed for this route, and if not fully prepaid will be sent by British Packet.

Letters, &c., can be posted for Canada, the West Indies, and other places named below, if sufficient American stamps are added to propay them from San Francisco to destination. American Stumps are sold at this Office. The charge for Registry is 8 cents in Hongkong Stamps and 10 cents in U.S. Stamps to those places only the names of which are printed in Italies. To all the other places named correspondence cannot be Registered through, but only to San Francisco (8 cents).

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11 A.M., when the Post Office OLOSES 11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindin. or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents extra poetage.

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Hongkong, 8th May, 1876.

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## Extracts.

OUR MUSICAL NEIGHBOURS, THE GREENS In a suburb that's famed for its gravelly soil, And soft and salubrious air. I hong up my hat when I've finish'd my toil .. "And have searcely a wish or a care. - With friends right and left, some ongoing, some smalt, Some wid, and some still in their toens. Edudore at a tistance ab tree, from my heart

Our musical neighbours, the Greens.

Although, in the absulpto sense of the word Green's hardly a rensical man (He can't play a note, nor can she, but I've heard He possesses a small box " wat can.")........ Still, munic by kandlo is constantly near, And the inclody made by machines Hath a wonderful charm for the delicate ear OF our musical-neighbours, the Greens.

Then down-come Germania's bands with a swoop, As herce and as load as you please; And down come the organe, a terrible troop, By ones and by twee and by threes. And an ill-favoured artist, who halls from Savoy, And dresses in grey volveteens, Grinds unlimited jigs, to the infinite joy Of our student neighbours, the Greens.

For the many is happiness; not for the few years And the movim I stoutly maintain In asking the Greens, from a Benthamite view, How many their bunch may contain. They must be indeed a remarkable crop, For whom the word happiness means On other-fulles happiness patting a stop Like our metical neighbours, the Greene-

- Hustrated Sporting and Ordinatio News.

BEOWN.

THE GRATEFUL CRANE; OR, THI ORIGIN OF JAPANESE CALICO. From "The Story of the Fex."

Kaku-sho-shu was the name of the dress hurst upon the sight of the enraptured that great watering-pot!" Hansoku. Though the legend says that "Be pleased to use my hands as those of me: Oh Heaven; the jaguar!" when he played upon his Shichiriki, the your slaves, senors, when and wherever you lark descended in silent rapture and the may need them. By-the-by, am I wrong in that moment! For one minute I was quit very dust became mobile, he had never heard imagining that you promised me a story sick and belpless, as if all the life had bee

The meaning of this last word is-a cloth woven from the white down of a crane. At you to interest yourself in such a trifle. As the store-room close by there was a hug this time it was like gossawer, and people soon as the plants are watered, I shull have wooden corn-chest, nearly empty, and big thought but one existed in the world, and the honour of serving you a cup of coffee on enough to hold six or seven people at once this is how it came to be made.

though he possessed not riches, and had much at your service." ado to meet the claims of tax-gatherer and of ing crop should yield his labour a scanty dole. I rolling up and lighting a paper cigarette, when a plaintive croak aroused him from his begins as follows: musing mood, and he perceived, within a

the mountain. until one evening, returning before the sur after the day's toil in mire.

Your virtues of filial, reverence, fidelity, and I politeness are known, and hence this ground into some sort of order; but, even fair damsel is not unwilling to become when he had cleared it, and begun to plant it, your wife. But without your consent I could | we had still plenty of enemies to fight against. think about it?"

did not feel averse to ; but thought bo:if I gratify her desire, how shall it be when the crust of a pie. There's a place a little to she endures our poverty to which we are the north of this (we'll show it you one of inured? Will she be patient, or shall we these days, when we go up the river in be separated, and the promised love and boat) where you see a huge pit in the ground. happiness last but a while only to leave gloom full of bushes and wild grass, with here and and serrow behind them?"

patience. So, after a while, he married her, Indies hormigas!' (the wild Indians and that year misfortune overtook the the ant Indians). household. Their crop was destroyed, and :- "However, luckily for us, there were no starvation loomed before them. When in the Indians about there, except the Indian mandirect distress.

never yet has been seen in this province; meat in exchange for knives and aquardiente. but I cannot do so in this room, nor weave And as for the ants, what with poisoning the web into its intricacies of pattern except | them; and digging up their nests, and in silence and alone. Build me a room, and flooding their galleries with boiling water,

as the poles rose, and wattle was bedaubed | bhacu (foray) upon us from the woods around. and thatch staked on the place his wife But after them came another pest that was demanded; but his mistrust and his mother's fur worse-the snakes. I need hardly tell half reproachful sighs were changed for ad- you, who have been through the forests days, his wife joined the family hearth, time I really gave myself up for lost. My bearing in her hand a glorious stuff of husband used to call them the tax-gatherers. glossy sheen, new snow white, but with and really, they were quite as regular -not sified the whiteness. "How it is called?" he asked.

She consented.

wall and preped into his wife's chamber, small shot. 10 500-

creature who produced it. Astounded his of them. Japan Mail.

A JAGUAR STORY.

(lawyor). grace of Spanish blood into the verandali in been a fat or ready to hand instead: As it Senora Diaz, one of the most piquant little (though be was a brave fellow enough), that tropical beauties that Murillo ever dreamed it made us all rather serious. However, a

ders I've seen in this fairyland of yours, I for they described it as being of a very had need write them down as fast as I see strange colour, far lighter than any that had should drive out another!"

wild grass surges up in one buge green wave Away they went merrily enough; overy man to a height of ten or a dozen feet. The with his gun and hunting-knife, and Muro house itself is of the characteristic type com- the bloodhound, along with them. My husmon to all parts of Spanish America—the band turned and kissed his hand to me just cool shady vernedab; the lear low front the as they entered the wood, and then they painted walls and cross barred windows, the were gone!
specious patio or courtyard, the flat, "When I lound myself all alone in the purapeted azotea (roof) giving quite a house with Lolita, and thought of what might fortress-like appearance to the whole build happen if they men this borrible beast, I was ing. For several acres around it, the cul- so irightened that (although I had no tivated ground, like a battalion of soldiers thought of any chance of danger to myself), in the heart of a meb, displays its long oven I wasn't satisfied till I had shut and barred lines of feathery augar-cane and huge banner every door in the house; and then I camlike bananas, in striking contrast to the dark and sat down in the drawing-room, and tool impenetrable masses of untamed jungle that Lolita in my lap, and tried to tell her shut it in. A very paradise, in truth, were story.

there not a snake under every leaf by day, Suddenly I heard a scraping along the and more mosquitoes than air to breathe at roof, and then a dull thump like the fall

the courtesy of your nation. But, as I see little dreamt what it really was. But the which now enveloped the lovely creature into that you are putting by your writing, I will next moment came a sound just overhead whose form the Fox had migrated, her bed, task your gallantry so far as to beg your that I could not mistake a long hourse read swaying freely as the bonding willow, hor help in watering my flowers, for it is not that I had heard many a time in the fores features of the cherry-blessom hue as she casy for me, with my lame hand, to manage at night, and never heard without feeling my

such dulcet sounds as issued from her throat. connected with the laming of the hand of struck out of me at one blow; and then But who was she, and what is Kaku-sho- which you speak? I would not willingly be thought flashed upon me. There was n troublesome, but when you have leisure ... keeping the jaguar out, for most of the door "With pleasure, senor; it is very kind of ways were only hung with curtains; but

And, accordingly, ten minutes later, I find feu-holder, yet never failed to labour or in myself sitting in the verandah over a cup of the chest. Unluckily it closed with a sprin yielding loving obedience to his mother-was such coffee as I have never tasted since look, so that I had to keep the lid slightly one day plashing with naked legs in the coze leaving Arabia, with little Lolita (Dolores), of his paddy-field, patiently vet listlessly myhostess only daughter, and my special pet, looking forward to the time when the acorn nestling at my side; while the senora, deftly

When we first came here, senor, a good short distance, a wounded crane lying on the many years ago, the place was very different bank, an arrow embedded in its back. When from what you see it. My husband had got straight to the chest, and there stopped show he approached it, no attempt at flight in. a grant of land from the Government, which a moment, as if suspecting a trap. Then dicated a fear of man, but the bird bent down was glad to give away ground about here to put his head close to the narrow opening, its neck in mute submission. In pity, he any one who would take the trouble to clear that I could feel his bot breath on my face plucked out the dart, and the crane, after it; and well it might! For in those days the snuffed once or twice to satisfy himself, and some sceble flutters of its wings, rose from mate (jungle) reached right down to the then tried to force the lid up with his paw the carth, circled around its benefactor as water's edge; and such a black, horrid tangle though to thank him, and flew off towards it looked of briars, bamboos, Spanish bayonet, God! the great pay would not go into the wild fig, liana, pirijao, locustwood, and what little chink. All he could do was to get hi Days passed on in the old routine of life, not, that I felt as if I deren't even go a step tongue in, and lick my fingers, making then into it tor fear of being lost altogether. But was fully set, he found seated with his mo. my husband and his peons went manfully to ther a charming girl, who welcomed him with work, chopping, felling, rocting, fending, what with hearing Lolita crying inside (fe grace in spite of his despicable appearance, digging, all day long except just in the worst she, poor darling, was as much frightened heat; and many a time I've seen them come I was), his fury was roused, and he began "Who is she? How comes she in this back so tired out that they just dropped roar, not an honest, deep-mouthed lic asked he, as he made ready down to sleep where they were; and it was only when they woke up again, three or four

"However, bit by bit, we began to get the The ants were the worst; for, apart from the havoc which they always make in a planta-The leap-year wooing the young farmer tion, they have a way of running their galleries under-ground till they fairly undermine "Daintily bred, perhaps noble, as she is, the whole surface, and it breaks in just like there a few mouldering timbers, where a As the cloud is driven by the wind, so | whole village sank at once, the foundations passed away bis fears when again in pressure having been fairly honeycombed by the ants! of the damsel he watched her loving rever. And thence comes our saving, that Paraguay ence for his mother, her self-denial and his two enemies- los Indios, bravos, los

don (tame Indians), who behaved well "I can spin," said the wife, " such cloth has | enough, and used to bring he food and dried we managed to get the butter of them at last A doubting heart was that of Musanokichi though even how they sometimes make a miring exclamation, when after some weary yourself, how they swarm there; and for a bere and there a crimson thread that inten - a day that we didn't find one or two of them somewhere about the house. And once Q. Santissima Madre | what a fright I got "There is none other in the world," she When Lolita was only a few months old, my husband and his men had gone out -Consider yourself honopred if she do "But I must take it to the Daimio, and to their work one morning as usual; and I act before you. It is a sign that, for b he won't buy it if he doesn't know how it is was busy in the bouse, with the child lying you are not one of the public. Once in the saleep on a mat at the other end of the room, presence, no matter whether in the theat

"Then tell him its name is Kaku-sho-shu." when, all once, I caught sight of a mouse's or beyond it, she begins to "put on." She With the thousand pieces of coin which skin on the floor, with the body sucked out cannot help it; the mere consciousness that the Governor gave him for the rarity (which of it, like an orange. I knew at once that two or three are gathered together is as a enchanted Her Majesty herself when pre- there must be a snake somewhat about, for spring that sets the histrionic machinery in sented) the family lived in clover, until the they're mighty fond of mice, and that's just motion. We have seen actresses play to husband considered it desirable that his wife's the way they deal with them; but, look as I prefection in entering a waiting room at it. Speculating on what the woman possibly what a start I got. I knew that I could do Besides, as has been said, in their case there gould want to be in there all alone for, when nothing with it myself, for it was a sort that is the slavery of mere custom; they must do

wiser-but, it is said, not a better man .- other plagues, the four-footed gentlemen house full of brothers, and consequently began to come on the stage at last. One rivals, in the art

morning, just as we were at breakfast in "Ah | Senor Inglez, I see you're do'or came one of our vaqueres with news that mined to defy our climate! After the march our cattle, while feeding among the long that my husband led you through the woods grass on the other side of the river had this morning, one would have thought you'd been attacked by a jaguar and one of them have been glad of a siesta; and here I find killed. The fellow who brought the news you writing away like any abogado !" had had to run for his life, and would hardly have escaped had there been any-So areaks, gliding out with the supple thing on him lit to eat, or had there not which I am seated, my charming hostess, was, he looked so thoroughly frightened of though sadly marred by the custom (un- week passed without any fresh alarm, and we happily almost universal mong the belles of were beginning to get over it, when suddenly Paraguay) of carrying in her smooth olive in came three or four Indians in a great cheek a quid of tobacco that would astonish flurry to tell us that a huge jaguar had broken a man-o'-war's-man, and "chawing" it ever into their encampment, and killed a woman and anon with the relish of a Down Raster and one of their dogs. When my humband over a "plug o' real Jeemes' River." heard the story he made sure that it was the "Well, really, senora, after all the won- same beast that had fallen upon our cattle them, lest, as your proverb says, one hail ever been seen in those parts before, and from that they had nicknamed it 'The Pale And in this there is certainly no exaggera. Death. So then we all thought it full time tion. Senor Diaz's ranch stands on a contle to do something; and my husband called his slope, ov-rlooking the broad, smooth tweep men together to go out and hunt it down. of one of the countless tributaries of the Tremember that morning well, though Parana, on the opposite bank of which the it will be a year ago the day after to-morrow

something beavy. Anxious and pergous "You fatter our poor country, senor, with I was, it gave me a terrible start, though

"Dios de mi alma! I shall never forg the balcony; and then, if you are good If Lelita and I could only get in there.

Musanokichi, a poor busbandman-who, enough to care to hear it, the story is quite thought, we might be saved yet! "So I snatched up the child, ran with h into the store-room, and crouched down open with my left hand, to avoid being sh down and stifled outright. I-was-not a moment too soon. Hard

had I got fairly settled in my biding-place when I heard the great claws scraping th floor, and the hungry smiff as the jagur quested about in search of food. He can "Ay de mil how I trembled! but, than bleed as if they had been rasped with a say And then, what with the taste of blood, an roar, but a sharp, sparling yell, that ma my very blood run cold. Ugh l. I can't thi "Though you are now a man, my son," hours later, that they had any thought of how I didn't die outright; but the touch Lolita's little arm, clinging round my nec

> scened to give me courage. "But the worst was still come: that he could not reach me from below. sprang on the top of the chest, crushing hand between the hid and the upper ed Then I thought all was over, and gave cream that made the whole house ring.

"My scream was answered by a sou that made my heart leap—the dietant cry a bloodbound! The jaguar heard it, too. he leaped down and stood listening a mome and then ran to the door, as it to esca There it was again-much neater-and w it the voices of men calling to each oth They were coming back! Meanwhile. iaguar seemed to get bewildered, and wildly up and down the inner cyalle Suddenly there came a loud shout at one the windows, and then two shots and a frig ful yell, and then my husband's voice strain to its loudest: 'Cachita! where are you?' just managed to crawl to the door and

him in, and then I fainted outright. They told me afterwards that our bloo bound had struck the trail of the jage leading straight toward the house; and th they all set off to run like madmen, fearing some harm to me. My busband and Jo distanced the rest, and came up just in ti to shoot the beast through the window: I he saw it rushing about inside, he felt one under the collar of the garotte (the

strument of execution). "As for my hand, it was so crushed t I couldn't stir a joint of it for weeks aft The Indians doctored it for me, and the tell me I shall have the use of it again mad-by: but I don't need that to remindof that day. If I live a thousand years shall never torget it!"-All the Year Rous

The World in an article ou actresses, say talent should again be put in requestion. might, I could see no snake anywhere, till the railway; and have rarely known them Audacions suddenly the thought struck me, could it be go out to dinner without turning the meal Charybdis. The spirit of prying imperfenence, born of under the child's mat? As gently as I into a stage banquet. Do we blame them? Curlew greed and tyranny, may not then have could, I lifted up one corner, and there it Not a bit of it. Only let any man know that Dwarf existed in loved Dai Nippon, but curiosity was, the long, slimy, green-and-yellow beast, others have their eye upon him, and he will Egeria did, and Mulanokichi possessed his share of curled snugly up and fast asleep. Ay de mil infellibly order his demeanour accordingly. The his talk might as well chime with the clack you only kill by shooting them; so I ran out these things, whether they were noticed or Hornet of the wheel, and he might learn some art into the courtyard, and, luckily, the first not, when they are in the presence of a June worth informing his lord of, he put down thing I saw was our hunter Jose, with his potential audience. "Qui vive?" cries the Kestrel bis pipe, and well ciling a sharp knife gently gun on his shoulder. I called him at once, sentry, although he knows for certain it is Lapwing scraped away the mud from a portion of the and be settled the beat with a charge of the lootstep of a friend, for watchfulness is Lily the acquired habit of the service. A picnic "However, as the work went on, and we tries them more than a five-act piece. Put Midge Boning over his wife's spinning wheel a got more and more ground cleared, our yourself in their place; fancy having to play Mosounto great white crane, from whose breast the visitors began to forsake us; for snakes Wattenuall day with no intervalior a change Ringdovs silky down was twisting into the finest thread must have a thick cover to burrow in, and, of costume, or for a restorative touch to the Swinger that mortal eves have ever beheld-that when that's taken from them, they spon complexion, and as one of a scratch company Sylvia would have tried the eyes of a fairy to sew slink off. So then I began to hope that we with whom you have never rehearsed. A Thuis with, but, ah! here and there reddened with were fairly at the end of our troubles; but dinner-party is less fatiguing; it is sharp Thistle eye-remained gland to the wall, until an "I don't know how it was perhaps it dispiriting; but the performer gets her exit exclamation escaped him on hearing his may have been that (as the proverb says) when the hostess rises. There comes a new mother call him. Startled by this, the stane everything must have its turn-but, some strain, though, when the ladien reach the turned her head and saw the sparkle of his how, all through our troubles with the ants drawing-room. She must go on acting, it is eye. With a shrill scream, she angrily and serpents, the bigger beasts had never a law of second nathre; but how terrible to moved to the door, and, taking flight, was disturbed us at all; but now just as we were have to do it before them! It is like for ever lost to view, leaving her husband a beginning to have a little peace from our Salvinia feat of playing Othello before a

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